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As below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

**METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR RETURNING A NON-SCALE-BASED
PARCEL WEIGHT**

described and claimed in the attached specification;

this application in part discloses and claims subject matter disclosed in my earlier filed pending application, Serial Number 09/473,542, filed December 28, 1999;

I acknowledge my duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to the patentability of this application as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, section 1.56; and

as to the subject matter of this application which is common to said earlier application, I do not know and do not believe the invention was ever known or used in the United States of America before my invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my invention thereof or more than one year prior to said earlier application, that the invention was not in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to said earlier application, that the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of said earlier application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by me or my legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to said earlier application, and that no application for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention has been filed in any country foreign to the United States of America prior to said earlier application by me or my legal representatives or assigns, except as follows: